



Black Studies Associate in Arts

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Semester		Credits
BLST 150	Introduction to Black Studies	3 🗆
ENGL 101	English Composition I	3 🗆
SOCI 104	Principles of Sociology	3 🗖
HIST	History Elective Q	3 🗖
MATH	Math Elective	3 🗆

This academic map is a suggested semester-by-semester guide to keep you on a clear path to program completion. Your academic advisor will provide you with clear direction needed to stay on course and discuss scheduling options with you. Taking courses not reflected on this map may result in courses not counting toward the completion of your requirements.

Keep an eye out for these symbols, which give important information

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Semester	Z		Credits
ENGL 102	English Composition II		3 🗆
SOCI 232	Sociology of Race and Ethnicity	Q	3 🗖
SPCH 105	Speech Communications		3 🗖
HIST	History Elective	Q	3 🗖
LS	Lab Science Elective		4 🗆

	KEY	about certain courses.
		These courses have no prerequisites or developmental courses required.
These courses are only offered in certain semesters.		These courses are only offered in certain semesters.
	\land	Students must earn a minimum grade in these courses to remain in the program.
		Eligible electives for this program are listed on the reverse. Watch for this symbol.

Semester	3		Credits
ARTG 204	The Black Arts Movement	Q	3 🗆
BLST 220	The Civil Rights and Black Power Movement	Q	3 🗖
BLST 230	Contemporary Issues in the Black Community	Q	3 🗆
ENGL 215	African-American Literature I	Q	3 🗆
MUSC 220	The Black Experience through Music	Q	3 🗆

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Summer and/or Winter Session classes may be available for your program to help you finish on time. See your advisor or visit the online course search for availability.



Taking 15 credits/semester or 30 credits/year will help you stay on track to finish your degree in two years.

Semester	4		Credits
BLST 240	The Caribbean: History, People, and Culture	Q	3 🗆
ENGL 216	African-American Literature II	Q	3 🗆
FILM 201	Black Images in Film	Q	3 🗆
SOCI 215	Urban Sociology	Q	3 🗆
SC	Science Elective	_	3 🗆



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Program Notes

The Black Studies program delves into the culture, history, and impressive accomplishments of Black Americans and others who are part of the African diaspora. The courses in the program celebrate the influential activists who have made a significant impact on both the country and the world. By shining a light on where systemic racism continues to exist, Black Studies serves as a powerful reminder to take stock of progress and acknowledge the individuals and organizations working tirelessly to bring about positive change.



History Electives: HIST 103 US History I, HIST 104 US History II or HIST 145 African American History I and HIST 146 African American History II.

Students who plan to transfer to a four-year institution and major in Black Studies should take HIST145 and HIST146.

Students who plan to transfer to a four-year institution and major in other programs should take HIST103 and HIST 104.

Math Electives: MATH 152 Topics of Math I or higher

Other Electives: Students choosing a humanities, lab science, liberal arts, or modern language can select from the Course Elective Guide at **massasoit.edu/electives**.

Some courses may have prerequisites, which are courses that **must** be taken prior to a particular course. For details, log into Degree Works through your MyMassasoit portal.

A minimum of 61 credits and 20 courses is required for completion. The same course may not be used to satisfy two different course requirements.

After Graduation/Completion

For more information about transfer opportunities, program pathways, course equivalencies, and upcoming transfer events, please visit **massasoit/transfer**.

Resources for Academic Success

All college phone numbers are 508-588-9100 + extension.

Student Central

Admissions, financial aid, registration & payments

<u>massasoit.edu/studentcentral</u> studentcentral@massasoit.mass.edu

Brockton | Student Center, Upper Level Canton | First Floor, C121

Admissions: x1411 Financial Aid: x1479 Registrar: x1949 Student Accounts: x1507

Testing & Assessment

massasoit.edu/testing

Brockton | Student Center, Lower Level | x1991

Advising, Career & Transfer Center

massasoit.edu/act-center act@massasoit.edu

Brockton | Student Center, Lower Level | x1461 Canton | First Floor, C126 | x2516

Academic Resource Center

Tutoring & academic support services

massasoit.edu/arc

Brockton | Student Center, Lower Level | x1801 Canton | First Floor, C126 | x2516

Access & Disability Resources

massasoit.edu/adr | x1807

Division Dean

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